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Applicants : Dong Wei et al.
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RESPONSE

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RESPONSE TO THE COMMUNICATION FROM THE EXAMINER

In response to the Communication from the Examiner please find enclosed the following: A computer diskette with the Sequence Listing in machine readable format; an Amendment Regarding Sequence Disclosures; a declaration regarding the computer diskette; a paper copy of the Sequence Listing; and a Copy of Notice to Comply.

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